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In re Application of:

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Examiner: C. Delacroix-Muirheid

Title: PHARMACEUTICAL COMBINED PREPARATION AND ITS USE IN THE  
TREATMENT OF GYNAECOLOGICAL DISORDERS

SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY

Sir:

Further to the Reply filed December 4, 2002, please amend the above identified  
application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claim as follows:

K' --53. A method for ameliorating LHRH analogue-induced reduction in bone density  
in a patient comprising administering to said patient one or more LHRH analogues and a 6-  
hydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-[4-(2-piperidinoethoxy)benzoyl]benzo[b]thiophene wherein  
said one or more LHRH analogues and said 6-hydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-3-[4-(2-  
piperidinoethoxy)benzoyl]benzo[b]thiophene are administered sequentially or  
simultaneously.--